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Attorney Docket No. 060490-5001 US
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In re Application of: **Yong YAO et al.**)
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Application No.: **10/087,217**) Group Art Unit: **1646**
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Filed: **March 4, 2002**) Examiner: **John D. Ulm**
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For: **Novel cell-based assays for G-protein coupled**)
receptor-mediated activities)

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

- Transmitted herewith is a Response and Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 responding to the Office Action dated June 1, 2004.
- Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time from September 1, 2004 to October 1, 2004, the fee for which is **\$110.00** as set out in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.
- Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16):

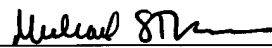
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining		Previously Paid	Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims	58	minus	82	25	at \$18 each =	00.00
Independent Claims	3	minus	4	0	at \$88 each =	00.00
First presentation of Multiple dependent claim					\$300.00	00.00
SUB-TOTAL =						00.00
Reduction by 1/2 for filing by a small entity						
TOTAL FEES =						00.00

- Fee Payment: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge **\$110.00** to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 for payment of a one month extension of time.

5. Constructive Petition: **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **constructive petition for extension of time** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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This Response and Amendment is filed in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated June 1, 2004. A petition for a one-month extension of time is submitted herewith, extending the period from September 1, 2004 to October 1, 2004.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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